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**CHANGE OF ENTITY STATUS PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.27 (g)(2) AND PAYMENT  
OF DEFICIENCY OWED PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.28 (2)**

This communication hereby notifies the United States Patent and Trademark Office that as of November 30, 2006, small entity status is no longer applicable for the above-identified patent application.

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No additional fee(s) are believed to be due. However, the Director is also authorized to charge such fee(s) or credit any overpayment in connection with this Communication to Deposit Account No. 50-0540.

Respectfully submitted,

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